



STOCK BROKER KILLS HIMSELF

**Well Known San Franciscan
Blows His Brains Out in
His Office.**

DESPONDENT OVER LOSSES

**Max Ettlinger's Cold Remains Found by
His Wife—Bullet Hole in Head Tells
Pitiful Story—Plunges on Market Un-
availing to Restore Fortune.**

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 8.—Max Ettlinger, a stock broker with an office at 308 Bush street, committed suicide early this afternoon by shooting himself with a revolver. The last person known to see Ettlinger alive was W. C. Ralston, United States sub-treasurer, who called at his office this morning.

The body was found by Mrs. Ettlinger shortly before 1 o'clock, seated before his desk on which was a statement of the morning's dealings. A bullet hole in the skull and a pistol near by told the story. The dead broker, who was well known on the streets, had been a heavy dealer lately, and it is believed had been despondent over his losses.

DESERT SCENE OF TRAGEDY.

**Relatives of Greeks Killed in Train
Wreck Seek New Fields.**

BAKERSFIELD, Cal., Oct. 8.—Unhappy at the death of their comrades in the fatal collision on the Tehachapi hill last week, all the Greek gang employed by the Southern Pacific has sought and obtained a change of location, through the efforts of H. Kapsimales, Greek consul. Many of the gang had brothers, sons, fathers or cousins among the killed, and they could not bear to work where the tragedy had occurred. Following their investigation of the wreck here, Consul Kapsimales and his assistant, Valeseratos, will go to Sacramento, where two Greeks were killed in a car collision. The Southern Pacific Company has manifested a willingness to provide for the families which have been left destitute in Greece.

FRENCH JUDGES FACE PROBLEM.

**Seek Punishment of Murderers Accord-
ing to Guilt.**

PARIS, Oct. 8.—The intricate and finicky manner of administering criminal law in France is attracting editorial comment and particularly in the case of an aged woman recently murdered in Paris. One man stabbed her while two others held her. Some lawyers opine that the men who held the murdered woman deserve a heavier sentence than the stabber. The lawyers' difficulty in the case is to determine how properly to apportion the punishment in its different degrees of severity, so that the men who held the woman may get a lighter sentence than the man who stabbed her. The public opinion complains in the press that the time of courts is wasted by the misplaced mercifulness of the judges.

TO HONOR DUTCH PEOPLE.

**Visit of German to Netherlands One of
Courtesy.**

THE HAGUE, Oct. 8.—Intense interest prevails in the royal family and court circles in connection with the coming visit of the Emperor and Empress of Germany. It is recognized that the visit is intended as an act of courtesy to the Dutch Queen and her subjects, and every effort will be made to show the appreciation of all classes. The visitors are expected about November 20th, after their trip to England. They will arrive at Flushing in the morning and will be met by the Dutch coast-guard fleet. Then they will proceed to The Hage, where they will be the guests of

Queen Wilhelmina for one day only, returning to Berlin the same evening. The city will be brilliantly decorated.

CENTURY OF SOCIALISM.

**Sensational Speech at a Church Congress
by a Bishop.**

LONDON, Oct. 8.—A striking speech on socialism, which has created something of a stir, was delivered by the Bishop of Stepney, Dr. Lang, at the Church Congress the other day. "We see," he is reported to have said, "the tide of a great movement, which, whether we like it or not, is going to be the master current of the life of the people of England in the twentieth century. There is an abundance of luxury, but there is also an appalling abundance of poverty. The nineteenth century forgot that it isn't enough to produce lavishly; it is important how it is distributed. "A reaction was bound to come. Some of us welcome it. The nineteenth century was a period of individualism and competition; the twentieth century will take its place as an era of socialism and co-operation."

KING OF SAXONY WANTS CHILD.

DRESDEN, Saxony, Oct. 8.—The Saxony government has instituted proceedings before the Italian courts demanding that Signoria Toselli, the ex-crown princess of Saxony, and her husband, Signor Toselli, be ordered to deliver up the Anne Menica Pia, youngest daughter of former crown princess, to representatives of the king of Saxony.

50 MILES AN HOUR

**New Airship Promises to Re-
volutionize Travel.**

SOLVES AERIAL NAVIGATION

**German Inventor Building a New Model
That is Expected to Surpass All Previous
Efforts to Navigate the Blue and
Misty Space.**

BERLIN, Oct. 8.—An uninterrupted aerial voyage of 16 hours and over, in a stretch of between 500 and 700 miles, is the goal German aeronauts have for themselves, as the result of new plans announced by Count Zeppelin. Airship experts in Berlin who are aware of the Count's projects believe that the result indicated will be reached on the occasion of the inventor's next experiments. Count Zeppelin is now working on a new model, with larger and improved steering apparatus and more powerful motors. While he discourages extravagant claims, his admirers say that, under ordinary atmospheric conditions, his airship can attain a speed of 40 or 50 miles an hour. The fact has been determined that the balloon during its recent flight, when it had weaker motors, reached a speed of 30 miles an hour, and, after eight hours' flight, had a sufficient supply of benzine on hand to warrant the expectation that it could have remained up as long again.

MANY WED IN RENO.

RENO, Nev., Oct. 8.—Reno will soon be known as the city of romantic marriages, if the record made within the past year is upheld. The county recorder's books show a total of 340 marriages within the past 12 months, or an average of a little over 28 each month. At this rate a nuptial knot has been tied at the rate of nearly one each day in the year, and many of them have linked to them romances of many states. Out of the 680 people married the records show that a majority of them are not residents of Reno, but come from other states, many of them from across the seas. Many cases are on the records of marriages consummated where one party had been granted a divorce but a day before.

HARRIMAN PLAN IS ENDORSED

**Union Pacific Board of Direc-
tors Re-Elected Without
Opposition.**

NO ANTI-HARRIMAN INTERESTS

**At Annual Meeting of the Stockholders
Railway Magnate's Scheme For Pro-
gress is Heartily Endorsed—Easterners
Present by Proxy.**

SALT LAKE, Oct. 8.—E. H. Harriman and his policy were endorsed in a resolution passed in the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Union Pacific Railroad held here today. The board of directors was re-elected without opposition. It had been rumored that considerable opposition to Harriman would develop at today's meeting, but the only anti-Harriman manifestation was a refusal of a proxy for James Ferris to vote his 100 shares in favor of the resolution endorsing Harriman.

Some proxy entered a protest asking that the bylaws be amended so that the chairman of the executive board will not be accorded the power of an executive committee, when the executive committee is not in session. The protest was tabled.

Of a total of 2,950,925 shares common and preferred, there were voted today 2,211,347 shares, mainly by proxies. Only the Easterners had proxies. The only easterners present were W. D. Cornish, Joseph Hellen and B. A. McAllister.

BATTLESHIP KENTUCKY AGROUND.

NORFOLK, Va., Oct. 8.—The battleship Kentucky, which passed the Virginia capes yesterday en route to Norfolk navy yard for repairs, prior to sailing with the battleship fleet for the Pacific Coast, grounded off Lambert's Point today while proceeding up the Elizabeth River. The Kentucky's nose is stuck in the soft mud off the Lambert's Point flats, near the long coal piers. Tugs went to her assistance. She was expected to be floated at high tide without material injury to her bottom. Many ships have grounded there, but none has been damaged seriously.

SANTOS DUMONT'S NEW AIRSHIP.

PARIS, Oct. 8.—M. Santos Dumont's hydroplane, the famous contrivance with which he has wagered to go at the rate of 100 kilometers per hour, is finished. It consists of three "cigars" of aluminum and wood, covered with silk. Their weight is 34 kilos—a record—and

length 30 feet. Considering that the racers at Monaco, which made 55 kilometers per hour, weighed 2500 kilos, it is quite possible that M. Santos Dumont may with his light, feathery thing win his wager of \$10,000.

FAVOR CHANGES IN TARIFF

**Republicans in Massachusetts Say Con-
ditions Need Attention.**

BOSTON, Oct. 9.—When the Republicans gathered today for the state ticket already selected, with the platform and the appointment of a chairman mapped out and awaiting only their ratification. The platform commends the work of the Republican State and National administrations, saying of the policy of resident Roosevelt that "progressive, courageous and effective, it has promoted the welfare of the whole people, and has enforced the laws and compelled their observance by all persons, rich and poor, high and low alike."

Belief "in the principles of protection to American industries and American labor" is reaffirmed, and at the same time there is a recommendation "for adoption by the next National Republican Convention of a resolution calling on Congress to meet in special session to determine upon amendments to the present tariff laws, or the enactment of a new measure to meet changed conditions, to remove duties needless for either revenue or protection, and make such modifications as experience may have shown to be necessary."

All the present State officers, headed by Governor Curtis Guild Jr., were re-nominated by acclamation.

SEEK SWINDLING AGENTS.

**Southern Pacific Officials After Fraudu-
lent Operators.**

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 8.—Officials of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company are on the lookout for agents of the so-called "San Rafael Development Company," which recently had offices on West Forty-second street, New York, and which is said to have been offering to sell tracts of land supposedly to be located in Lower California. As a special inducement to purchasers, free transportation is said to have been offered over the Southern Pacific lines, slips of paper purporting to entitle the holder to transportation being furnished with each sale of \$1000 worth of land. The transportation slips were valueless.

In order to appear as having the backing of the Southern Pacific, one of the alleged swindlers carried a card reading: "Colonization Department, Southern Pacific; J. R. Bliss, Special Representative, San Francisco, Cal." There is said to be no such person connected with the Southern Pacific.

MURDER TRIAL ON

DECATUR, Oct. 8.—The case of Fred H. Magill and wife, Faye Magill, charged with the murder of Mrs. Pet Magill, Magill's first wife, was called this morning by Judge Cochran and the work of empanelling the jury was begun.



A SMALL CONTRIBUTION.

PETTIBONE MAY NOT BE TRIED

**Is a Very Sick Man and Will
Have to Have Operation
Performed.**

DARROW IS ALSO ON SICK LIST

**Western Federation of Miners Distrib-
utes Pamphlets Regarding Enormous
Expense of Haywood Trial—Citizens
Opposed to Expense.**

BOISE, Oct. 8.—Another fruitless conference of attorneys was held here today on the proposition of postponing the trial of George A. Pettibone, charged with complicity in the assassination of former Governor Steunenberg. The lawyers will meet again tomorrow and unless something is definitely decided, then the matter will be placed before Judge Wood for action.

Pettibone is regarded as entirely too ill to face a long trial, but the defense has thus far refused to accept postponement, thereby hoping to force the state into granting bail to the sick man. Pettibone is suffering from a specific complaint and may never recover. He is able now to walk about the hospital, but an operation is still pending. This operation can be delayed to suit the convenience of the defense and could be certified to as necessary at any time.

The state fears to enter upon the trial with this condition prevailing as the expense would be heavy. A campaign against spending money involved in the prosecution of Pettibone and Moyer along the vigorous lines laid down in Haywood case is being carried through-out the state and the Western Federation of Miners is distributing pamphlets showing every item of expense incurred in the latter case, including personal expenditure of many detectives employed.

The Haywood trial is said to have cost the state in the neighborhood of \$140,000. Governor Gooding and other state officers declare all the money necessary to prosecute Pettibone will be forthcoming. There is absolutely no likelihood of his trial proceeding on the 15th, the day set.

Many alarming reports have been sent out from here regarding the condition of Clarence Darrow, the leading attorney for the defense. Darrow suffered an abscess of the left of the middle ear and it may be necessary to puncture his ear drum. He was never in any danger and was about the streets today.

COUNTRY EDITOR GIVEN FORTUNE.

**Journalist Prints Writing of Scholar
and is Rewarded.**

LOS ANGELES, October 9.—Because Henry Schultz, proprietor of the Sawtell Sentinel, gratified the whims and printed his contributions of ancient lore, Iner Lamb, a veteran, a student of the prehistoric past and a man of remarkable education, decided to the country journalist his entire estate in this section and Tulare county, said to be worth many thousand dollars. He died a few weeks ago and inquiry into the failure of his affairs to reach the Probate Court brought out the fact that he signed his property away two weeks before the end.

Since 1869 Lamb, who added an A. B. after his name, had been working on his book, which is some 300 pages in extent. A note in the preface states that the work was begun from a desire to accumulate facts for comparison and reflection and the manuscript shows he possessed a wonderful capacity for looking backward. So far as known he had no relative living. He was 75 years old.

KNELL OF SHORT SLEEVES.

PARIS, Oct. 8.—With winter's advance the thoughts of the feminine turn

with one accord to Dame Fashion for her newest decrees in the matter of dresses and hats. The knell has been tolled for elbow sleeves that were the delight of the last three years. Madam's new winter dress molds the figure tightly from collar to hem and from shoulder to wrist.

FLEMING DIES IN SOUTH.

**Banker and Former Ruler of the Elks
Passes Away.**

SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., Oct. 8.—James Fleming, until last July District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, having jurisdiction over all that part of the state south of Fresno, died this morning at his home here after a long illness of Bright's disease. As a banker and orange grower, Fleming stamped his personality upon this community as few men have ever done before. Mr. Fleming resided here for 27 years and was one of the first members of the first board of directors of the Farmers' Exchange Bank, of which he was a member at the time of his death. He was president of the Fruit Growers' Association and the North Fork Water Companies at Highland, besides being financially connected with other organizations. As a Mason, Odd Fellow and Elk he became widely known over the entire state. He was a native of Canada and was 50 years old. He leaves a widow and one son.

The lodges of which he was a member will all turn out tomorrow at the funeral.

INFERNAL MACHINE

**Denver Bankers Have a Narrow
Escape.**

RECEIVE DEATH THROUGH MAIL

**Chief of Police Warns Them in Time—
One Member of Assassins' Gang Con-
fesses to Plot to Kill Many Denver
Citizens.**

DENVER, Oct. 8.—Ex-Governor Beachtel, President Moffatt, of the First National Bank, and President Kounz, of the Colorado National Bank, received through the mails today infernal machines containing sufficient dynamite to have caused great destruction of lives and property, had they been exploded. Fortunately warning had been given to the recipients of the machines by Chief of Police Delaney, who had obtained a confession from Kemp V. Bigelow, by whom they were mailed.

ODD METHOD TO END LIFE

STOCKTON, Cal., Oct. 9.—Jackson Burns, an Oakland hay baler, who returned to his home in that town a week ago after a busy summer, committed suicide in the rear of his residence at 6 o'clock this morning by placing a stick of dynamite to his breast and touching off the explosive. His body was torn frightfully by the explosion. His wife ran out, hearing the report and made the awful discovery. Burns had been drinking and was away from home all night gambling. He leaves a wife and four children.

BAILEY DINES HAWAIIAN GIRLS.

PORTLAND, Oct. 8.—State Dairy and Food Commissioner J. W. Bailey will play the gallant role of mine host to the bery of Hawaiian belles at an informal luncheon to be given at the Hazelwood Creamery on Washington street at 5 o'clock this afternoon.

MUST MAKE CHARGES DEFINITE.

TOPEKA, Oct. 8.—Judge Dana ordered the state to make more definite its charges against the 51 fire insurance companies charged with breaking the anti-trust laws by using the Eldridge rating bureau's basis for fixing rates.